IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No. 09/827,177

Application of: Alejandro H. Abdelnur, Atul Q. Batra,

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A CONFIGURABLE TRADE EXCHANGE

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AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the office communication mailed April 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.